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I'd like to express my dissatisfaction w/ the proposed settlement w/ Microsoft. I do not think that it gives any trouble to a company that has consciously ignored the law and coerced the entire market into doing it's will.

I think the proposed settlement will allow microsoft to gain a large foothold in schools, and force out a major competitor in the education market.

I also think that the company should have a stiffer penalty than one billion dollars, with monitoring to ensure that the abuse of power does not continue.

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